

Mount of the United States,
May 5, 1838.

Sir,

On the 27th Dec last, I sent you Mr. Selfield's
account for the Silver, and for his pack of the Woods, of the
Indian Medals, received at the Mount, at your request;
the whole amount being \$1547.44.

I also stated that according to the Contract
made with Mr. First, on the 1st May, 1837, he was to re-
ceive for his overstay, all charges of every kind included, —
\$1000; a part of which was advanced to him by Mr. Self-
ield.

As I presume that the requisite appropriations have
been made to enable you to pay these debts, I will pray
you to procure a requisition from the Department, in
my favor, for \$2547.44, and I will see to the settlement
of the accounts here, & send you the proper vouchers.

Very respectfully,

Your faithful servant,

(Signed)

R. M. Patterson,

Director.

To)
C. A. Harris, Esq.
Commissioner of
Indian Affairs.